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Dear Orestes,

Sorry this got lost on my desk, under a large pile.

Sorry also that I haven't heard from you.

Some things take time to become clear, and we will have to wait for time to pass and the unclear to become clear.

I have obtained a set of the official copies of the affidavits, so I do not need clippings of these. However, I would still be happy to get copies of stories in the papers, if there are more, as I assume there will be.

Between the time I wrote the enclose and now other things have hap ened that seem more important at the moment, so I must concentrate on them.

Again, my appreciation for your thoughtfulness. To today, you are the only one in New Orleans who has sent me anything on this. To me this means, despite interruptions, that you have not only been but have proved you are my friend.

Sincerely,